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To : Chief, SE
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FROM : Senior Representative,
SUBJECT: GENERAL BGFIEND/Operational
SPECIFIC- Willow Tree Team Debriefing

Date 13 November 1952

1. The following operational information was collected by Willow Tree during its third infiltration 14-28 October, 1952:

a. Zenel Zenel Mehmeti, father of Tosun Ali Mehmeti, was contacted. He advised that he and Istref Metka, another Willow contact, are capable of mustering 70 men willing to work against the Hoxha regime. He named the following leaders pledged either to Metka or himself together with the number of men each controlled:

Halil Reza Selimi	- 8 men	✓
Banush Rushiti	-20 men	✗
Muharrem Arifi	- 5 men	✗
Laze Taim Desnike	-15 men	✗
Bato Ismaili	-20 men	✗

b. Zabadin Gjinomathe, a warrant officer, is chief informer for the Sigurimi in the Korca area. On one occasion he told Zenel Zenel Mehmeti that he would like to talk to him from time to time but gave no indication of the topics he wished to discuss. Zenel Mehmeti assumes Gjinomathe is attempting to contact outside resistance elements through him as Gjinomathe has previously made known his desire to work against the Communist regime. Gjinomathe is known to have helped several people who were in trouble with the Sigurimi; among them, Tosun Mehmeti, who states Gjinomathe once helped him escape from Albania. Willow Tree members agree that this man can be trusted.

2. With reference to

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2. With reference to paragraph 1.b. above, we have just received a debriefing from Gadvent's office of a refugee or Greek agent who either knows or has an indirect contact with Gjinomathe and reported he was with the Sigurimi in Skoze searching for a Nationalist agent team. We are arranging to interrogate this source to ascertain the extent of his knowledge of Gjinomathe and of Sigurimi activities in an area visited by Willow and close to Fig's present zone of operation.

3. Any information Washington can develop on Gjinomathe will be very useful to us. A report on our interrogation of the Greek source mentioned above will be forwarded as soon as possible.

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